Small Business Regulator Fairness Board Small Business Impact Statement

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Commission

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Please describe the methods your agency considered or used to reduce the impact on small businesses (examples: consolidation, simplification, differing compliance, differing reporting requirements, less stringent deadlines, performance rather than design standards, exemption, or any other mitigating technique).

Since the proposed rule adopts already-effective federal rules there is no impact imposed on small businesses from promulgation of the state rule.

Please explain how your agency has involved small businesses in the development of the proposed rule.

N/A.

Please list the probable monetary costs and benefits to your agency and any other agencies affected. Please include the estimated total amount your agency expects to collect from additionally imposed fees and how the moneys will be used.

None.

Please describe small businesses that will be required to comply with the proposed rule and how they may be adversely affected.

None that do not have to comply with the already-effective federal rules.

Please list direct and indirect costs (in dollars amounts) associated with compliance.

N/A.

Please list types of business that will be directly affected by, bear the cost of, or directly benefit from the proposed rule.

None that do not comply with the already-effective federal rules.

Does the proposed rule include provisions that are more stringent than those mandated by comparable or related federal, state, or county standards?

Yes___ No_X__

If yes, please explain the reason for imposing a more stringent standard.

For further guidance in the completion of this statement, please see §536.300, RSMo.